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On 18 January 1952, the Revolutionary Military Council ordered Chinese Communist Army Headquarters to select 3,000 artillery soldiers to be sent to Hankow for the formation of an independent artillery division. This division will be commanded by CHIN Chu (**), commanding officer of the artillery division of the 3 Field Army, and will be equipped with new Soviet weapons.

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